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COMBAT CENTER ORDER 6240.10F

From: Commanding General
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Subj: IMPLEMENTATION OF FOOD SERVICE PERSONNEL PHYSICAL EXAMINATION REQUIREMENTS

Ref: (a) MANMEDDEPT, Chap 15 (NOTAL)
(b) NAVMED P5010, Chap 1 (NOTAL)
(c) BUMED WASHINGTON DC 4132200Z DEC 89 (NOTAL)

Report Required: Roster of Physical Examination and Training Status of Food Service Personnel (Report Control Symbol EXEMPT), Par 6

1. Purpose. To implement policies and requirements contained in reference (a) and (b) by establishing a procedure for physical examinations aboard the Marine Corps air Ground Combat Center to cover all food service personnel, military and civilian.

2. Cancellation. CCO 6240.10E.

3. Scope. All food service personnel, to include mess cooks, shall receive an initial physical examination prior to working aboard the Combat Center. Organizations in which there personnel work include, but are not limited to, the marine Corps Exchange, Commissioned Officers' Club, Staff noncommissioned Officers' Club, Enlisted Club, Child Development Center, messhalls, and Commissary. For the Purpose of this Order "food service personnel" shall be construed to include all personnel, military and civilian, who prepare, cook, serve, or vend food or drinks and those who wash or handle dishes, culinary utensils or equipment. Included are Commissary personnel, supervisors, butchers, meat wrappers, meat cutters, and produce handlers.

4. General

a. This high susceptibility of food to bacterial contamination resulting in a possible food-borne illness requires that food service personnel be examined prior to acceptance for any evidence of a communicable disease.

b. The initial physical examination shall be conducted within 30 days prior to the acceptance date and annually thereafter for child care employees only.

c. All food service personnel who have been away from their duties for 30 days or more for nonmedical reasons will have a medical examination prior to resumption of their duty. All food service personnel who have been away from their duties for any period of time as a result of illness will receive authorization from the Occupational Health and Preventive Medicine (OH/PM) Department, naval hospital, prior to resumption of duty.

d. personnel will be examined by a Medical Department representative to ensure they are free of open lesions, infected sores, cuts and sever cases of acne.

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e. The physical examination for non-military personnel shall be given at the Occupational Medicine Division, OH/PM Department, naval Hospital, Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 0900-1100.

f. The PPD skin test for tuberculosis is no longer required per reference (c).

5. Responsibilities

a. Commanding Officers. Commanding Officer are responsible for the health of their commands and shall ensure all food service personnel are fit for full duty.

b. Commanding Officer, Naval Hospital. The Commanding Officer, Naval Hospital, shall provide physical examination for food service personnel.

c. Head, OH/PM Department, Naval Hospital. Head, OH/PM Department, Naval Hospital shall conduct physical examinations of food service personnel, ensure results are recorded in each individuals health record, and issue Food Service Personnel Physical Examination Record ((29)-6120/2) to all new employees.

d. Food Directors. The Food Service Officer and the managers of the clubs, Marine Corps Exchange, Child Development Center and Commissary shall ensure that their personnel, both employed and under consideration for employment, receive physical examinations before they are accepted and annually thereafter for child care employees only. Entries shall be made on the Personnel Employment Card to their physical examination status.

6. Action. All food service supervisors will ensure that Food Service Personnel Physical Examination Records are maintained at the place of work along with the Food Sanitation Training Certificate. They shall also ensure that a roster of all food service personnel is forwarded to the OH/PM Department, Naval Hospital, monthly at the beginning of the month. This roster shall indicate the date of each individual's last physical examination and the date of their last training class.

7. Summary of Revision. The PPD skin test for tuberculosis is no longer required per reference (c).

8. Applicability. This Order is applicable to all commands and organizations located abroad the Combat Center.

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